

PRESIDENT: Approved. The House is under Call. All members of the Legislature throughout the building, please report to the Legislative Chamber and record your presence, the House is under Call. All members within the Chamber, please put on your green light so that we know you are here in our attempt to acquire all of our membership for the purposes of Call of the House. Senators Newell and Nichol, if you want to...Senator Newell, do you want to record your presence and Senator Nichol. Senator Lundy. Senator Harris, please. Senator Chronister. There we go. Senator Sieck, please record your presence. Senator Scofield, please record...Senator Scofield, please record your presence. Senator Scofield, please...thank you. The House is under Call. Senator Richard Peterson, please record your presence. Senator Hoagland. Senator Hoagland, please record your presence. The House is under Call. I assume the Sergeant has called the special committee to come back in. The House is under Call on a motion by Senator Newell to raise LB 945 to the floor notwithstanding action of the Revenue Committee. Please record your presence. The House is under Call. All members of the Legislature throughout the building, please report to the Chamber and record your presence. The House is under Call. Please record your presence. The House is under Call. Members, please record your presence. The House is under Call, please record your presence. Senator Haberman, please record your presence. Senator Haberman, please record...put your green light on, please. Senator Chambers. Senator Warner, please record your presence. We believe that we have everybody that is on the board, 45 members, and may the...(Gavel)...the motion before the House is the motion of Senator Newell to place LB 945 on General File notwithstanding action of the Revenue Committee and Senator Newell was about to close. Senator Newell. Can we have order in the Chamber, please. (Gavel.) Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, as I said earlier, LB 945 is a bill that would provide some equity in our tax law. Nebraska is the only state in the Union, as I indicated earlier, that has chosen to tax only residential utilities and not tax at the very